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In re Application of: David W. Diamond
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant hereby makes the following documents of record in the above-identified application:

- (1) U.S. Patent No. 5,183,179, issued 02/02/93 to G. Morris, Sr.;
- (2) U.S. Patent No. 5,513,770, issued 05/07/96 to R. Seeley et al.;
- (3) U.S. Patent No. 6,024,244, issued 02/15/00 to J. Hicks; and
- (4) U.S. Patent No. 6,257,441, issued 07/10/01 to F. Maley.

Copies of these documents, which are listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (1 page), are enclosed herewith. Applicant respectfully requests that these documents be fully considered by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office during the examination of this application and printed on any patent which may issue on this application. Applicant also respectfully requests that a copy of Form PTO-1449 (1 page), as considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned to the undersigned with the next communication.

It is believed that this disclosure complies with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98. If for any reason the Examiner considers otherwise, it is respectfully requested that the undersigned be contacted by the Examiner by telephone in order that any deficiencies may be expeditiously remedied.

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If any fees are required in connection with this submission, please charge the cost of same to Deposit Account No. 16-0221. A duplicate copy of this submission is enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

Thank you.

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